

The Qu'Appelle Progress.

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QU'APPELLE, N. W. T., THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1895.

No. 1.

DENTAL.

W. D. COWAN, D.D.S., SUR-
geon-Dentist, visits Indian Head
on the second Friday and following Satur-
day of every month: Qu'Appelle, Leland
Hotel, on the Wednesday and Thursday
preceding.

LEGAL.

A. D. DICKSON, Barrister, Advocate,
Solicitor, etc.
Office, first door south of the Queen's Hotel,
Qu'Appelle, Ont.

W. M. SMITH, Advocate, Notary Public,
Collector and Real Estate Agent.

MEDICAL.

D. R. E. CARTHEW, Qu'Appelle, Phy-
sician, Surgeon, Dentist, etc. Grad-
uate Toronto University and Licentiate Col-
lege Physicians and Surgeons, Ont.

W. HENDERSON, M.D.C.M., Qu'Ap-
pelle Station, Graduate of
McGill University, Montreal. Office next
door to Mr. Benning's store.

MISCELLANEOUS.

G. S. DAVIDSON, Licensed Auctioneer,
Selling for the North-West Territories
Sales conducted on the quietest notice.
Arrangements can be made at my office,
or at the Progress Office, Qu'Appelle.

A. HOLLINGSHEAD, House, Sign and
Carriage Painter, Graining, Glazing,
Paper Hanging and Kalsomining promptly
executed.

B. BULYEA & CO.,
CITY MEAT MARKET,
Qu'Appelle street, Qu'Appelle.
Attention and satisfaction guaranteed to
customers.

S. H. COLLINS,
BOOT AND SHOE M. KER,
Next door to Creamer's drug store,
Qu'Appelle.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE
Advertisements under this heading, 5 cents
per line each insertion.

A NUMBER OF YARBLING HENS
one and two years old. Will ex-
change for steers of same age.
JAS. SCOTT,
Qu'Appelle Station.

ASTRAY.
5 CALVES STRAYED FROM
Sec. 12, Tp. 19, R. 16, two roan heifers,
two red heifers and one red and white steer;
last seen about eight miles south-east of
Halton. Anyone giving such information
as will lead to their recovery will be suitably
rewarded.
ALFRED J. JOSE,
Qu'Appelle Station.

STRAYED ON TO MY PREMISES,
S. S. 4, Sec. 36, Tp. 18, R. 15, on the
4th of the month, one Berkshire pig. Owner
please pay expenses and take it away.
GLOUCESTER.

FARM FOR SALE.
WEST HALF OF SECTION 20,
Township 17, Range 15, west of
second meridian—32 acres—about forty
acres well cropped. Terms moderate. Tor-
rent's title. Apply to
REGINALD RIMMER,
Vendors' Solicitor, Regina.

MEETINGS.
A MEETING OF THE SOUTH QU'AP-
PELLE Agricultural society will be
held in the Council Chamber, on Saturday
evening next, the 19th inst., at 7 o'clock,
for the purpose of transacting business in
connection with the late exhibition. By
order,
J. DODD-LITTLE, Sec.

WANTED.
WANTED—ON A FARM FOR THE
winter months, a strong lad to do
chores and make himself generally useful.
A good wage offered to a suitable party.
Duties to commence first week in November.
Apply
The Progress Office.

WANTED—SEVERAL MEN OF GOOD
character, who can furnish horse
and light rig, \$75 to \$250 monthly. Ap-
plicants with fully. THE BRADLEY GAR-
RETTON Co., Ltd., Brantford, Ont.

A GOOD, STRONG BOY, BY THE
year, for general farm work. Good
wages. Good home. Apply
T. G. ATKINSON,
Sec. 21-17-14 W. 24.

WANTED—A BOY TO DO CHORES.
Apply to F. R. BLAKENY, Sec.
36-17-15, through post office. 51-47

WANTED—YOUNG MEN AND
women, or older ones if still young
in spirit, of undoubted character, good
talkers, industrious and industrious, can find
employment in a good cause, with \$50 per
month and upwards, according to ability.
Rev. T. S. LINSOTT, Brantford, Can.
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Qu'Appelle Valley
FLOUR MILLS,
FORT QU'APPELLE.

Hungarian Patent
Strong Bakers
Graham

BRAN, SHORTS, CHOP,
CRACKED WHEAT.

Full supply always on hand
at BULYEA'S STORE.

Support Local Industry.
JOYNER & ELKINGTON,
PROPRIETORS.

HEART DISEASE RELIEVED IN 30
MINUTES—All cases of organic or
sympathetic heart disease relieved
in 30 minutes and quickly cured,
by Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart.
One dose convinces. Sold by C. E.
Cartheo.

S. H. Caswell & Co., BANKERS,

Financial and Insurance Agents

COLLECTIONS SOLICITED—RETURNS
PROMPTLY MADE.

Five Per Cent. Interest Allowed
on Deposit Accounts.

CORRESPONDENTS:
LA BANQUE NATIONALE.

Cheques and Drafts for all parts of
the World Bought and Sold.

Qu'Appelle Station. - - Assn.

School Books

Slates (Cloth-Bound and Plain).

Scribblers.

Exercise Books.

Account Books.

Pocket Memorandum Books

And Pocket Dictionaries.

—AT—

Creamer Bros.,

Druggists and Stationers.

QU'APPELLE STATION.

OFFICE OF

J. P. CREAMER, V.S.

J. H. MacCaul

General Insurance Agent.

DEALER IN HARD AND SOFT

... COAL ...

Fresh Mined Blacksmith

COAL.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

EASTERN LUMBER

ALL DESCRIPTIONS.

N.B.—Have a look at my Siding, Shunting
Boards and Ship-lap at \$17.00 per
thousand.

John's got the Rheumatism
and Muscular
Pain again
Why not
try Dr. J. H. MacCaul's
Pain Expeller
and you will
see, I cured
the magic

THE FAMOUS
Dominion Pants Co.

SUITS
FROM
\$13
TO ORDER.

AGENT:
R. E. SMITH
Qu'Appelle
Station

1000 Samples to select from.

HEAD OFFICE:
364, ST. JAMES STREET, MONTREAL.

Tenders for Purchase of Building

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
sealed tenders addressed to the Com-
missioner of Dominion Lands, Winnipeg,
will be received until 10 a.m. on Monday,
the 21st October, 1895, for the purchase of
the frame building and appurtenances known
as the Dominion Immigration Hall, at Qu'Ap-
pelle Station, N. W. T. Terms cash with-
in 15 days after notification of acceptance of
tender. Purchaser to remove building
within thirty days. Highest or any tender
not necessarily accepted. By order,
JOHN R. HALL,
Secretary.

WOOD WANTED
AT
THE PROGRESS OFFICE.



With a cough, cold or
sore throat. Use a
remedy that relieves
from the start, soothes
and heals the inflamed
tissues of the larynx or
bronchial tubes.

PYNY-PECTORAL
is a certain remedy based on a clear know-
ledge of the disease it was created to
cure.

LARGE BOTTLE 25 CENTS.

The Qu'Appelle Progress.
Is Published Every Thursday

At The Progress Printing Office, in the
Town of Qu'Appelle, Assiniboia, Canada.
The rates for our advertising space by
contract are as follows:

One column \$5.00 per month, 10 cents
per line first insertion, 5 cents per line each
additional insertion. Yearly advertisements
allowed to be charged monthly, if done \$1
will be charged for each additional change.

Business cards, 50 cents for first twenty-
five words, 2 cents for each additional word.
The publisher reserves the right to refuse to
insert advertisements of a questionable
or objectionable character.

Advertisements of Vacants, To Let, Lost,
Strayed, etc., when less than 10 lines, will
be inserted for 50c; subsequent insertions, 25c
each. This class of advertisements must be
paid for in advance.

Subscription price: \$1.00 per annum, in
advance; if not paid for in advance, \$1.50
will be charged. Single copies 5 cents.

A liberal commission will be allowed to
parties who are willing to act as agents for
us. Write for terms.

FREDERICK BELL,
Editor and Proprietor.

THURSDAY, OCT. 17, 1895.

THE PROGRESS OF THE
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The paper that is familiar in this
district and a good many others,
has just completed its tenth year.

It was started by Mr. E. J. Weid-
man and continued under his man-
agement for several years when it
became the property of Mr. G. S.
Davidson; after a time it passed
into the hands of a company, with
Mr. Frederick Bell as its manager,
who, under a year ago, bought the
property and is now sole proprietor
and editor. The paper was started
with a view, no doubt, of supplying
a want that was felt by the com-
munity of Qu'Appelle, thus making
the principles and practice of home
enjoyments more generally appre-
ciated, and more habitually delig-
ent, and we need not point out to
the intelligent reader how power-
fully the accomplishments of this
object tends to promote the cause
of virtue and well-doing, and the
elevation and refinement of the
human character in every respect.

A newspaper should produce in the
minds of its readers a healthy en-
joyment, that is, enjoyment which
is full in its measure for the pass-
ing day, without any regret of yester-
day or any dread of to-morrow.

The Progress has, in common
with most young papers, passed
through various vicissitudes; like
many of its readers, it has had its
ups and downs, but in spite of what
was said of it a year or two ago
that it was a sinking ship—it has
managed under able journalistic
seamanship to weather the storm
and keep afloat, though it may have
been necessary a time or two to
pipe all hands to the pumps; how-
ever, the staunch craft has neither
sunk nor has she become a derelict,
and it is the full intention of the
captain and those under him to
keep a good look out, and make
copious notes by the way; as
the good ship Progress keeps

steadily on her course, 'twill
be her endeavor to keep her dead
lights ever in view, and she will
steer clear of carrying any articles
that are not sound and above-board.

To Our Subscribers.
Patience is a virtue, but it can
be exhausted. Some time ago we
asked subscribers in arrears to pay
up, but we are sorry to say the
response has been very meagre
indeed. It seems to be the com-
mon idea to pay everyone but the
printer; he is supposed to rab along
without money. Such is not the
case, and self-protection compels us
to give notice that all accounts
owing not paid by the 31st inst.,
will most assuredly be handed over
to our solicitor for collection. This
notice is final, and those not wish-
ing to incur further costs will please
govern themselves accordingly. The
following is the law with refer-
ence to newspapers:

1. Any person who takes a paper regularly
from the post office, whether in his name or
another's, or who he has subscribed or
not, is responsible for payment.

2. If any person orders his paper discon-
tinued he must pay up all arrears, or the
publisher may continue to send it until
payment is made and then collect the whole
amount whether the paper is taken from the
office or not.

3. In suits for subscription, the suit may
be instituted in the place where the paper is
published, although the subscriber may
reside hundreds of miles away.

4. The courts have decided that refusing
newspapers or periodicals from the post office
or removing or leaving them uncollected for
some period, is prima facie evidence of
intentional fraud.

PRINCIPAL GRANT has come down
from "Imperial Federation," for a
little season, to attend to the out-
skirts of the British Empire. He
says Manitoba's majority is made
up of bad boys and girls, because
their views on school matters are
playing havoc with the "two great
historic creeds." They have turned
a "crack" into a "chasm" and
spoiled the dreams of many who
looked for unity.

These creeds may be historic,
but their history is that of opposi-
tion. When they come together,
all but a crack, the relation is
suspicious. A chasm between a
freeman and slavery is not a bad
thing.—Prairie Witness.

PRairie fires have lately been,
and still are, raging around, and
terrible loss of life and property
have fallen under the consuming
flames. Reports of the extent
of damage done have done
to hand too late to enable us,
this week, to give in detail the ex-
tent of loss that has been sus-
tained, we shall, however, return to
this matter, which is of such vital
importance, in our next week's
issue; in the meantime look to your
fire guards.

A Queen Murdered.
London, Oct. 14.—The European edition of
the New York Herald has a despatch from
Seoul, capital of Korea, confirming the report
that the queen had been murdered while the
Japanese troops were at the palace gates.
There is nothing to show that the Japanese
emperor was aware of the plot. The king
was a prisoner, and his father, Tai Won
Fan, leader of the reactionary element, has
been proclaimed dictator. A new cabinet
will be made up of pro-Japanese elements.
The queen's officials have fled. A Japanese
named Soshi has been arrested for the murder
of the queen.

New Thing in Dogs.
Mr. G. W. Parsons, of 15 Rose Avenue, is
just now the possessor of an animal which
should excite great interest among lovers of
the canine race. On Saturday he received
from Col. and Mrs. Bell, of Whitewood, N. W. T.,
a male pup, aged six months, the offspring of
a female prairie wolf and a stag-hound. The
mother was captured about six months ago,
and had four pups in all. Mr. Parsons
possessed in his the hair of the stag-hound
and the head, eyes and tail of a wolf, and is
an intelligent looking animal. This is prob-
ably the only known animal case of cross-
breeding in Canada.—Toronto World.

Catarth Relieved in 10 to 60 Minutes.
One short puff of the breath through the
Blower, supplied with each bottle of Dr.
Agnew's Catarth Powder, affords the pow-
erful relief of the nasal passages. Pain
less and delightful to use, it relieves instantly
and permanently cures Catarth, Hay Fever,
Colds, Headache, Sore Throat, Tonsillitis
and Deafness. 60 cents. At C. E. Cartheo's
Qu'Appelle.

Correspondence.
Our columns are open to all for the dis-
cussion of public questions. Personalities
will not be permitted. We do not hold our-
selves responsible for the opinions expressed
by correspondents.

The Penmanship Prize.
To the Editor of The Progress.
SIR—Noticing a paragraph in an
editorial appearing in The Progress
of the 10th inst., insinuating that
prize for "penmanship for children
under 12 years of age," offered by
the Agricultural society at the late
show was awarded to a child over the
restricted limit of years, for your
information I beg to state that the
child taking the first prize is not
12 years of age, and will not be
until the 25th day of Feb. next.

FRANK F. GOODWIN,
Elzeley, Oct. 15.

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NOTES BY THE WAY.
"There's a child among ye takin' notes,
An' faith he'd point 'em."

Broadly speaking, the crop of
turnips this year has been a very
satisfactory one, but where the
roots had been well attended to
during the growing season, the yield
has been considerably greater; in-
deed, one cultivated a few miles
south of town took up from one
acre of ground twelve and a half
tons and 200 pounds, this at, say,
fifteen cents per hundred, would
give the remunerative return to the
farmer of \$37.80, pretty good busi-
ness for the produce of one acre of
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produced this crop was sown on
well prepared land, on the 2nd of
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the 8th of October, thus it only
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only knowing how to do a thing,
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the usual dimensions, seven inches
by eight inches, the spade has to be
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implement used penetrates nine
inches, which it should do, will
weigh on the average seventeen
pounds, 11,900 pounds of soil have
to be lifted; as there are 100 perches
or rods in an acre, in digging the
latter measure of ground the man
working has to cut out 112,000
spade-fuls of soil, weighing in the
aggregate 17,900 cwt., or 850 tons,
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useful and profitable outlet has been
found; the rabbits in a frozen state
are being shipped to England, where
they find a ready sale. According
to The Australasian, on July 11th
the steamer Ninerva started from
Melbourne for London with 125
tons of frozen poultry, game and
rabbits, the bunnies numbering
100,000.

Some twenty-five miles from
Portland, Oregon, a firm has been
started for slaughtering and packing
horses for human food; the packed
meat is sent, principally, to France
and Belgium. The firm expects to
do a large business, and later on to
be in a position to place their goods
on the home market. We would
suggest that this food commodity
should be called the G.G. brand.

Death of Mrs. Major Bell.
General and profound regret was
felt in town when it was learned
that Mrs. W. R. Bell had died at
6:30 p.m. on Monday at her resi-
dence at Indian Head. Outside of
her immediate friends it was not even
known that she was unwell, and
therefore the surprise was all the
greater. The deceased lady was only
six days and was not thought to be
in a dangerous condition until Sun-
day last. The disease was appendi-
citis, and on Sunday morning Dr.
Blanchard was summoned by wire
from Winnipeg and went out on
Sir William Van Horne's private
train. He arrived, however, too
late for his skill to be of any avail.
The remains will be taken for inter-
ment to Brockville, Ont., where the
relatives of both Major Bell and
Mrs. Bell reside. The deceased lady
was Miss Ellwood before her mar-
riage, and was connected with the
leading families in Brockville and
Eastern Ontario. She was highly
accomplished, and her qualities of
heart made her beloved by all with
whom she came in contact. In re-
ligious life she was a member of
the Presbyterian church.

Santaluta Siftings.
(From Our Own Correspondent.)
Some smouldering straw on Mr.
A. Stubbard's place on sec. 30-18-11,
started a blaze to-day in the straw
surrounding his granary, containing
a considerable quantity of wheat
threshed a few days ago, and had it
not been for the prompt and en-
ergetic action of Mr. John Douglas,
who is batching in Mr. Stubbard's
house, the granary and contents
would have gone up in smoke.
The fire burned over a large area
of prairie before it was finally beaten
out by neighbors.

Mr. Geo. Barbour, C.P.R. tele-
graph operator has arrived to take
charge of the office here. A more
popular man could hardly have
been sent us, as, when in charge of
this office last season, his attentive
and obliging disposition made him
a general favorite.

Wheat is down to 43 cents.

Ordained to the Ministry.
A pro re nata meeting of the
Presbytery of Regina, was held in
Knox church, Qu'Appelle, on Tues-
day evening, 15th inst., for the
purpose of ordaining S. W. Thomson,
B.A., to the ministry. In the
unavoidable absence of Rev. Mr.
Carmichael, Mr. Matheson presided
and ordained, Mr. A. Kemlo, B.A.,
of Grenfell, preached, Mr. Matheson
addressed the minister and Mr.
Robson the people. Mr. Carmichael
having in the meantime arrived,
addressed some words to the con-
gregation, when the interesting
proceedings were brought to a close
by Mr. Robson pronouncing the
benediction.

Correction.
The following omissions and
errors appeared in the list of prize
winners at the agricultural show
last week. They should read—
Walking team, 2. A. Dundas; best
boy rider, 1. L. Wismer; natural
grasses, 1. J. G. Milne; Kohl rabbit,
1. J. H. Fraser; 2. Joseph Fessant.

A New River
Ottawa, Oct. 15.—Dr. Bell of the Geo-
logical Survey, who has returned from
exploring in the region of James Bay, says he
has discovered a new river running into
James Bay, 200 miles long. He calls it the
Nile of the North.

RHEUMATISM CURED IN A DAY.—
South American Rheumatic Cure for
Rheumatism and Neuralgia radically
cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action
upon the system is remarkable and
mysterious. The first dose greatly
benefits. 75 cents. Sold by C.
E. Cartheo, Qu'Appelle.

Archbishop Langevin at Fort Qu'Appelle.

On Saturday morning His Grace Arch-
bishop Langevin arrived here en route to
visit the Mission at Fort Qu'Appelle and to
join in celebrating the thirtieth anniversary
of the opening of that institution by his
predecessor the late and lamented Arch-
bishop Tache. A few miles out from town
he was met by the band from the Industrial
School and a troop of friends mounted on
early expedition, ponies, who escorted him
to the Fort and to the mission. Arrived
there, he was presented with an address of
welcome by the French and English speak-
ing members of the parish. Shortly after-
noon His Grace delivered a sermon in French
after which he administered the rite of con-
firmation to about fifty applicants. At 2:30
p.m. the afternoon he presided at a solemn
in English, and at 5 o'clock partook of a
dinner prepared in his honor, to which the
prominent people of the Fort were invited.
In the evening the gift of the mission gave
a concert which His Grace attended and
which he greatly enjoyed, the singing of the
young ladies being particularly sweet and
harmonious and showing careful training.
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tained His Grace with a musical and dra-
matic entertainment, the head, which is one
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Reading of the thermometer for the week
ending Tuesday, Oct. 15, 1915.

	Maximum	Minimum
Wednesday, Oct. 9	61	32
Thursday, Oct. 10	44	20
Friday, Oct. 11	48	26
Saturday, Oct. 12	62	36
Sunday, Oct. 13	68	40
Monday, Oct. 14	62	29
Tuesday, Oct. 15	65	39

WIND DIRECTION AND VELOCITY.

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Wednesday	W. by S.	12 to 15
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Local and General

The herd law expires on Nov. 15th.

Fort William has a tax sale on the 21st.

Miss D. Bell left here for Brandon Monday evening.

Dr. Jas. Cramer drove down from Regina Monday night.

Rumor has it that there are several weddings on the tapis.

A train of thirty-two cars, drawn by two engines, passed west on Friday evening.

Four carloads of halibut from Vancouver recently passed through Qu'Appelle, destined for Boston.

Miss Trewatha has taken up her residence in town, in the house occupied by the late W. Brydon.

There is unusual activity in the lumber yards just now; the farmers are preparing their granaries.

Mr. F. Seymour, Springfield, has a dandy crop, having threshed out forty-seven bushels of wheat to the acre.

A number of friends were at the depot Monday evening to welcome Miss Carter on her return from Regina.

T. L. Gray of Wolsley, shipped a car load of butter east on Saturday last. The butter was of excellent quality.

Mrs. R. Cramer, late of Regina, and her mother, Mrs. Prowse, have taken up their residence on Casswell St.

Carberry is threatened with a diphtheria and typhoid epidemic, and prompt measures are being taken to subvert the dread scourges.

Mr. William Van Horne, president of the C.P.R., and party, passed through Qu'Appelle by special train on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Dawson, director of geological surveys, estimates that a million and a quarter square miles of land are still unsurveyed in Canada.

Who lost their way going to a dance south of the track one day last week? What were you doing John, at McLean? Was the trail missed in the mist?

The export shipments of cattle are still large. Seven train loads, destined to Great Britain, arrived at the C.P.R. yards, Winnipeg, Saturday, from the Alberta ranges.

Mr. R. Sutton of Regina, was here on Saturday last, says the Wolsley Echo, and purchased in this district about forty head of young cattle which he shipped to western ranches.

Great damage by fire has been done lately in the Beaver Hills settlement, south of the lake; thousands of acres have been burnt off, thus depriving the settlers of the grass on which they were partly depending for the winter feed of their stock; in addition, large quantities of hay and grain in stack have been consumed. A boy who

was taking hay is missing, the team stamped by reason of the fire, and neither boy, take nor horses had been found at the last reports.

Little Boy Peep.
Sleep not too deep,
Which was quite innocent;
But she found them again,
Without worry or pain,
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Messrs. Johnston & Scott shipped yesterday (Wednesday) another train load of cattle. This will make several thousand head that the above named gentlemen have shipped from this point.

Another sign of the prosperous and go-ahead times in the Edgeley district, is a matrimonial union that will ere long take place. A residence is in course of erection for the happy couple. May they live long and prosper in the home of their adoption.

A very painful accident occurred on a farm some nine miles south of Austin on Monday morning last, in which a young farm hand from Ontario lost his hand, having it crushed by the cylinder pulley of a threshing machine—Carberry News.

A farmer from north of the river made a complaint at this office that some of the wheat buyers do not grade the wheat right. He said one buyer offered him 30 cents while the other buyer paid him 43 cents for the same wheat. Error in judgment some place.—Virden Banner.

Mr. A. Hollingshead and his gang of brush swingers, who have been engaged for some time in painting the new brick block at Indian Head, greatly enhancing its appearance both inside and out, finished their operations on Monday last, and the building is now one of the handsomest in that town.

A ladies' society, known as the Anti-Smoking-Chewing-Drinking society has been in forcible operation for some time in Perth, Ont. The members take a solemn obligation never to marry a man who either smokes, chews or drinks. Altogether likely the next acquisition to Perth will be an innkeeper for old maids.

The building business at Jim Smith's has been brisk within the last few days. A roofing bee party have been as busy as bees fixing on a shingle roof to a barn—and something like a barn at that—capable of housing comfortably 20 horses and a car load of cattle, the latter to be fed up for prime beef later on. Well done, Mr. Smith, may you achieve all your praiseworthy efforts deserve.

S. Peter's Women's Guild held a sale of work on the Agricultural Show grounds, on the 4th inst. Mesdames Burn, Gordon and Miss Carter kindly undertook to help in selling, which arduous task they ably performed as is shown by the proceeds. The sale realized \$26.70. It had been proposed to have a refreshment stall, but hearing that our neighbors intended to have a big affair, refreshments were waived aside for this occasion.

James Watson, one of the old and most popular engineers on the western division of the C.P.R., died Saturday morning in the General hospital about 11 o'clock. Mr. Watson went to the hospital on the 9th inst. suffering from appendicitis. An operation was performed on him but the disease had already gone too far and he succumbed to its influence. Deceased was 50 years of age and leaves a wife and family.—Winnipeg Nor'Wester.

At Grenfell, a few days ago, Mr. Gwynne's livery stable was destroyed by fire, which spread to and also burned to the ground Messrs. Molanet & Dale's carpenter shop. During the excitement of moving the furniture out of the adjacent buildings, a fire was started in the old Grand Union hotel, but was quickly extinguished. The stable was insured in the Royal Insurance company for \$600. The other building was not insured.

While the editor of the Wolsley Echo and three friends were inspecting the new passenger line in course of erection at Wolsley, one day last week, they had occasion to walk out upon some scaffolding. Their excessive weight caused the scaffold to collapse, precipitating all to the ground. There were no bones broken but all received a severe shaking up, the Echo man

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having several bumps added to his knowledge box not put there by nature, and which do not add to the beauty of his otherwise well-formed head.

New Patents.

The following list of United States patents granted to Canadian inventors, Sep. 17, 24 and Oct. 1, 1895, is reported for this paper by Jas. Sangster, Patent Attorney, Buffalo N.Y.

Benjamin C. Pettigell, assignor to J. Pettigell, Victoria, B.C., blasting powder.

James M. Smith, Galt, truss.

Alexander A. Vernon, assignor to himself and A. Green, Owen Sound, napkin holder.

Eliza J. Fader, Calgary, dredging bucket.

William Nafe, Waterloo, flower stand.

Henry M. O'Reilly, Almonte, tie holder for collars.

James P. Martin and W. P. McFeet, Montreal, hand device for affixing postage stamps.

James D. Lamb and J. E. Chapman, assignors of one-twentieth to J. J. Dunack, Montreal, street car fender.

Thomas Manley, Prince Albert, sawdust feeder for furnaces.

Lemuel H. Morgan, assignor of one-half to M. C. Todd, Galt, Ont., fastening device.

William J. Still, assignor to W. B. Close, Toronto, rectifier for electrical currents.

A Fire Bug in Regina.

Last week a series of fires destroyed some half a dozen buildings and a hay stack in Regina, and on Saturday evening last, about 6:30, a dastardly attempt was made to burn the Standard printing office. The fire had collected a lot of paper and rubbish and had saturated it with coal oil and set it alight, and but for the timely arrival of Mr. Child's, the whole building would have been consumed. A man was seen running away from the building, and was chased and captured. His clothes were covered with oil, and it is thought the authorities have possession of the author of all the fires.

Fort Qu'Appelle Prize Winners.

We promised last week to publish the list of prize winners at the Fort Qu'Appelle fair in this issue. We had made arrangements to have the list sent us when completed but through the negligence of the parties who promised to send in the list, we have not received it as yet. This is too bad, as there are several exhibitors here and at Indian Head who are anxious to see it. Surely our friends at the Fort should be alive to their own interests.

The Markets.

Winnipeg Commercial.
Loading United States markets have been nervous, irregular and excitable this week with a comparatively wide range in values on some days. Cables have been mostly weak. Continued reports have come in of drought in the western states which is interfering with sowing the new winter wheat crop. Exports of wheat, flour included as wheat, from both coasts of the United States this week amount to 2,244,000 bushels, compared with 2,613,000 bushels last week, 3,317,000 bushels in the corresponding week a year ago, 2,862,000 bushels two years ago, and 3,625,000 bushels three years ago.

The local grain trade is in a very unsatisfactory condition. There is first the great variation in quality of the crop, running into 15 to 20 different grades. This makes it a very difficult and unsatisfactory crop to handle. Secondly there is the difficulty about the standards, which are said to be unsound to the crop, and therefore annoying to the trade. The third and most annoying feature is the situation as to prices. About 1,250,000 to 1,500,000 bushels of wheat are now being marketed per week in Manitoba, and not a single cargo has been loaded yet for export. This is owing to the fact that prices are too high. By tonight about 2,000,000 bushels of wheat will be in store at Fort William, which means that almost half the elevator storage at our lake ports is already full, and country elevators are fast filling up. The only shipments east of the lake is what wheat is being taken by eastern Canadian millers. They are taking a little more than in former years, but even if they take twice as much as in any past year, it will not make much impression on the crop. What are we going to do with the wheat is then the question? Elevator space fast filling up, the navigation season only lasts about six weeks more, and no wheat going out of the country because it cannot be sold except at a heavy loss to holders, hence a lot has been purchased at prices far above an export basis. Cash wheat at Duluth yesterday was worth about 55¢ for No. 1 hard. At the same time 48¢ was being paid to farmers in Manitoba, equal to about 62¢ at Fort William allowing only 2¢ for cost of handling or 3¢ above Duluth. This shows the bad situation the market is in for exporters. Millers are differently situated as they are buying for the domestic market, and with a duty of 7¢ per barrel on flour in their favor, they can pay above an export basis if they choose to do so and make the home consumer pay the difference. Exporters are differently situated. They cannot do business unless they can buy on an export basis. If the situation does not change so that exports can begin, all movement of wheat will eventually have to cease for lack of storage room. There is a good deal of rumour at country points yet, where stocks are now about 1,500,000 bushels. About 300 cars per day are moving to lake ports, but a large portion of the wheat coming out is going into store for

farmers, who are not selling, notwithstanding the fact that prices are above export value. It is said that 60 per cent of the wheat moving is held by farmers. Recent sales at Fort William last week were 635,544 bushels and shipments 199,975 bushels. The corresponding week last year receipts were 803,767 bushels and in previous years 418,343 bushels. Stocks on October 5, were 1,247,757 bushels, and a year ago were 1,383,915 bushels. Like rates are advancing. The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. has advanced the rate via their steamers to 9¢ per bushel to all points in Eastern Canada west of Montreal and including Montreal. Like rates at Duluth are 6¢. A year ago 2¢ was quoted from Duluth to Buffalo. Prices have held at 48¢ per bushel for best samples, to farmers in Manitoba country markets at 1¢ freight rate points and this price has been paid for a good deal of wheat which would not grade No. 1 hard. On Thursday prices in the country dropped 1¢ and again 1¢ on Friday, to 46¢ at 15¢ rate point. Sales to eastern Canada millers and buyers have been made at about 60¢, and at Fort William for No. 1 hard, and ranged from 59¢ to 60¢, during the week, closing at 59¢ to 60¢. No. 2 hard and No. 1 northern, 2 to 2½ under No. 1 hard; No. 3 hard 6 to 7 under No. 1 hard; No. 1 rejected about 7 to under No. 1 hard. To slatter grade sold last year at 3 to 4¢ and in some cases 5 to 6 under No. 1 hard. This difference now is due to the prevention of mixing so-called wheat, and it is causing a heavy loss to the farmers, as 10 to 15 per cent of the crop is grading rejected. A small cargo for export was reported loading at Fort William today, but it was on a side made some time ago for future delivery. No definite announcement has come from Ottawa yet regarding the standards or the question of mixing. Wheat is easier today with bids at 52¢ all Fort William for No. 1 hard.

Winnipeg Prices.

Wheat—Farmers' loads are being taken at the mills at 45 to 48¢ for good milling samples, rejected sold as low as 35¢ for chicken feed.

Flour—Patents, \$1.90; strong bakers' \$1.70.

Oats—Per bushel, 15 to 26¢.

Barley—Per bushel, 25 to 28¢.

Butter—Creamery, 16 to 18¢ daily, 9 to 10¢ per pound.

Cheese—Per pound, 6¢ for Manitoba round lots.

Eggs—Per dozen, 15 to 16¢.

Lard—Pure, \$1.35 to \$1.50 for 20 pound casks, and \$1.50 for 25 pound casks. Pure lard in 3, 5 and 10 pound tins, 37¢ per case of 60 pounds, tins 36¢ per pound.

Potatoes—Per bushel, 20¢.

Cornmeal—Per bushel, 40 to 50¢.

Cabbages—Per dozen, 15 to 40¢.

Tomatoes—Native, 3 to 4¢ per pound; eastern, 90¢ to \$1.10 per bushel; green, 50¢ per bushel.

Citron—Per dozen, 50 to 75¢.

Poultry—Chickens, 40 to 45¢ per pair; turkeys, 8 to 9¢ per pound, live weight; ducks, 10¢ per pound; wild geese, 20 to 25¢ per pair.

Hay—Lowest, per ton, \$5 to \$5.50; best prime, \$8.

Live stock—Cattle, 2 to 2½ for hogs, 4 to 4½ for pigs, sheep, 30¢ off each.

Surprise Party at Spencerville.

Last Friday evening, in spite of the darkness and absence of stars, quite a party gathered at Mr. McMichael's. It was intended to be a surprise party, and the effect was the slightest doubt that a great many surprises occurred; however, there was lots of fun, thanks to Mr. J. P. Beauchamp's abilities. Dancing was indulged in from time to time, but the effect of the evening arrived when "Blind Man's Buff" was played—there was no end to the fun; one gentleman seemed to enjoy being "blind man" immensely. After this came "Honey-cats," quite a novel game. Jimmy was very clever in answering the puzzling questions that were asked. We must not forget the vocal part that was ably sustained by Bob, who sang two very humorous songs, which were much appreciated. The party broke up about 2 o'clock after having spent a most enjoyable time. We have since heard that the party from the north was lost but reached home in time for breakfast.

Drowning Accident.

Clearwater, Oct. 14.—A drowning accident occurred at Rock Lake, about ten miles from Clearwater, last evening, in which young W. E. C. Carter, son of Wm. Carter, owner of a merchant, Clearwater, lost his life. He and a young man, who was working for Carter, were out in a boat, and when within sixty yards from shore the boat foundered. Carter not being able to swim, was drowned. The other man reached the shore and summoned help. Carter's body has not yet been recovered, although everything is being done.

Hotels.

Queens: J. Churchill, J. Hastings, A. Hastings, G. S. Davidson, J. Indian Head; A. McDonald, D. McDonald, Miss Cunningham, Mrs. K. Hayes, G. Dickson, W. J. Seymour, A. M. Dupette, Regina; T. E. W. Brady, H. Madden, Winnipeg; A. J. McDonald, Balcanqual.

Leland: C. H. Bank, P. F. Size, Regina; J. C. Gillespie, G. F. W. Starr, J. J. Brooks, E. L. Thomas, Winnipeg; Col. McDonald, Crooked Lake; J. V. Campbell, London, Ont.; S. V. Ellington, H. B. Joyner, Fort Qu'Appelle; W. J. Massey, Toronto; J. B. Harvey, Balcanqual; J. H. Labelle, T. Foster, Montreal; J. B. F. Hamilton.

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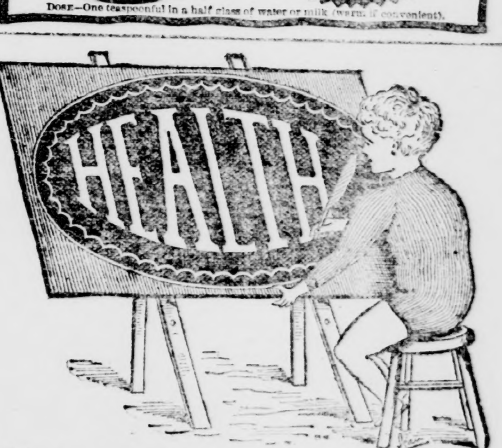
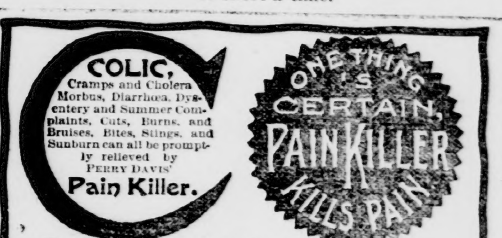
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